

AN ACT  
RELATING TO THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF AN ARREST WARRANT.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

Section 1. Section 804.29, Code 2011, is amended to read as follows:

**804.29 Confidentiality.**

1. All Unless otherwise ordered by the court, all  
information filed with the court for the purpose of securing a  
warrant for an arrest, including but not limited to a citation  
and affidavits, shall be a confidential record until such  
time as a peace officer has made the arrest and has made the  
officer's return on the warrant, or the defendant has made an  
initial appearance in court. During the period of time that  
information is confidential, ~~it~~ the record shall be sealed by  
the court and the information contained ~~therein~~ in the record  
shall not be disseminated to any person ~~other than a peace~~  
~~officer, employee of a county attorney's office, magistrate, or~~  
~~another court employee, in the course of official duties unless~~  
otherwise ordered by the court.

2. However, during the period of confidentiality  
in subsection 1, the information in the record may be  
disseminated, without court order, during the course of  
official duties to the following persons:

- a. A peace officer.
- b. An employee of the county attorney's office.
- c. A judicial officer or other court employees.

d. An employee of the department of corrections or judicial district department of correctional services, if authorized by the director of the department of corrections.

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JOHN P. KIBBIE  
President of the Senate

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KRAIG PAULSEN  
Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and is known as Senate File 2208, Eighty-fourth General Assembly.

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MICHAEL E. MARSHALL  
Secretary of the Senate

Approved \_\_\_\_\_, 2012

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TERRY E. BRANSTAD  
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